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Module 2 Lesson 5



Armed Forces

Objectives **Module 2**
Lesson 5

At the end of the lesson, the students will be able to identify military specialties in the Armed Forces. Under this Terminal Learning Objective, the students will be able to:

1. Identify military ranks and titles. This task will include:
- Recognize military ranks
- Identify military insignia
- Compare military insignia
- Address Thai officer and enlisted personnel by appropriate rank and protocol
- Compare military ranks with the Thai
- Identify ranks and specialties of a SF team
- Discuss military promotions

2. Identify military specialties. This task will include:
- Recognize military specialties
- Describe activities of different military specialties
- Name the military specialties and functions of your team members
- Provide function for military specialties
- Provide information about the MOS of the US team members
- Request information about the MOS of the Thai team members

3. Discuss the branches of the Armed Forces. This task will include:
- Identify branches of service
- Identify the branch insignia of the Armed Forces
- Discuss the differences between the US and the Thai military insignia and functions
- Talk about the organization and formation of the Armed Forces

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During training of foreign soldiers it becomes necessary to identify your branch of service and the expertise and specialties found in that branch. In an effort to organize and train these foreign soldiers you will have to explain the Special Forces organization and the MOS's that make up the team. Additionally, you will have to equate your organization to that of the foreign soldiers being trained and both ask and answer questions pertaining to these organizations. This lesson is designed to provide you with a solid foundation of basic military terminology to adequately ask and answer questions pertaining to the military.

Lesson Scenario

[illegible] A: [illegible] B: [illegible] A: [illegible]	Sergeant Stevens calls Major Suthee and delivers a message from the company commander. A: Major Suthee, the company commander is looking for you, sir. B: Ok, I will be right there. By the way, Sergeant Stevens, what is the phone number for HQ? A: It's 534-9472.

[illegible] A: [illegible] B: [illegible] A: [illegible] B: [illegible]	Mr. Squire and Mr. Walker are talking about their military jobs during their military service. A: Did you finish military service, Mr. Squire? B: Yes, I was in the 16th Division, Signal Corps. A: What did you do there? B: I was a communication specialist at that time. But my Corps shifted to

[illegible] A: [illegible]	the rear six months before I finished my service. What about you, Walker? A: I was in the Air Force. I worked at the control tower at the Airport East.

Military ranks

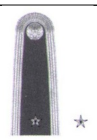
Listen and read along as your instructor voices the following military ranks. Repeat them aloud as a group so that you become familiar with the Thai ranks.
Repeat the activity as many times as needed for you to give the Thai equivalents for each rank.

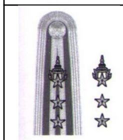
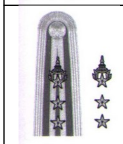
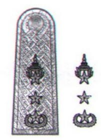
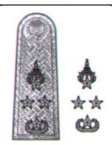
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Insignia	Grade	US Army equivalent
	□□□□□□□ (□□□)	Privates
	□□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Private First Class
	□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Corporal
	□□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Sergeant
	□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□.)	Staff Sergeant
	□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□.)	Sergeant First Class
	□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□.)	Master Sergeant

□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ (Commissioned Officers)

Insignia	Grade	US Army equivalent
	□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ (□□□□□□□ □.□.)	Acting Second Lieutenant

	□□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Second Lieutenant

Insignia	Grade	US Army equivalent
	□□□□□□ (□.□.)	First Lieutenant
	□□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Captain
	□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Major
	□□□□□ (□.□.)	Lieutenant Colonel
	□□□□□□ (□.□.)	Colonel
	□□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□. □□□□□)	Brigadier General
	□□□□□ (□□.□.)	Major General
	□□□□ (□□.□.)	Lieutenant General
	□□□□□ (□□.□.)	General

Notes:

- The rank of warrant officer, while having no equivalent in Thai, is often translated by the term □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
- The rank of Brigadier General (*□□□□□□□□□□*) is replaced by □□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□. □□□□□) or Senior colonel. The rank insignia is the same as that of a Colonel except the branch insignia on the collars will be different.

Exercise 1
Identify if the following rank insignias are officers or NCOs.


a

______


b

______


c

______


d

______

Answers: a. NCO b. Officer c. Officer d. NCO

Exercise 2
Write down the rank with its abbriviation of each insignia:


a

______


b

______


c

______


d

______


e

______


f

______

Answers: a. □□□□ (□□.□.) b. □□□□□□ (□.□.) c. □□□□□□ (□.□.)
d. □□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□.) e. □□□□□□ (□.□.) f. □□□□□□ (□.□.)

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Exercise 3

What is the rank between …

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]
7. [illegible]([illegible])

What is the rank immediately above …

8. [illegible]
9. [illegible]
10. [illegible]
11. [illegible]
12. [illegible]

What is the rank right below …

13. [illegible]
14. [illegible]
15. [illegible]([illegible])

Answers:

What is the rank between …

1. [illegible] [illegible]
2. [illegible] [illegible]([illegible])
3. [illegible] [illegible]
4. [illegible] [illegible]
5. [illegible] [illegible]
6. [illegible] [illegible]
7. [illegible]([illegible]) [illegible]

What is the rank immediately above …

8. [illegible] [illegible]
9. [illegible] [illegible]([illegible])
10. [illegible] [illegible]
11. [illegible] [illegible]
12. [illegible] [illegible]

What is the rank right below …

13. [illegible] [illegible]

14.[illegible] [illegible]

15.[illegible]([illegible]) [illegible]

Thai Army Combat Units

Units (□□□□□□)	The rank of the Commanders (□□ □□□□□□□□□□□)
□□□□□□ *Army*	□□□□ *Lieutenant General*
□□□□□□□□□□ *Corps*	□□□□ *Lieutenant General*
□□□□□ *Division*	□□□□□ (□□.□) *Major General*
□□□□□□□□□ *Brigade*	□□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□□□□□□) *Colonel*
□□□ *Regiment*	□□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□□□□□□) *Colonel*
□□□□□□ *Battalion*	□□□□□ (□.□.) *Lieutenant Colonel*
□□□□□□□ *Company*	□□□□□□□ (□.□.) *Captain*
□□□□ *Platoon*	□□□□□□□ (□.□.) *Second Lieutenant*
□□□□ *Squad*	□□□□□□ (□.□.) *Sergeant*

Exercise 4
The following chart shows the ranks and units of the Thai Army.
Can you match the rank of the leader with its unit?

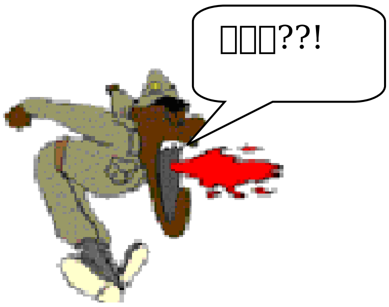
1. □□□□□□□ a) □□□□□ (□□.□)
2. □□□□ b) □□□□□ (□.□.)
3. □□□□□□ c) □□□□□□□ (□.□.)
4. □□□□ d) □□□□□□□ (□.□.)
5. □□□ e) □□□□□□ (□.□.)
6. □□□□□ f) □□□□□□□□□□□ (□.□.□□□□□□)

Answers: 1. c 2. d 3. b 4. e 5. f 6. a

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Military address

Colonel Pratheep runs into SSG. John and SFC. Sombat.



Pratheep: □□□□□□□□□ □□□□□ □□□□□ *to bring*
Sombat: □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□
Pratheep: □□□□□□□□□□□ *Welcome*
Sombat: □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□
Pratheep: □□□□□ □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□
John: □□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□
Pratheep: □□□□□□□□□***???!!!***

True or False?

1. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ T / F
2. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ T / F
3. □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ T / F

Answers: 1. F 2. F 3. T

Why is Colonel Pratheep offended? While in the U.S. military, it is customary to address persons of higher rank with *Sir*, in Thai, □□□□ □□□ □□□□□□□ □□□□□□ □□□□□□ □□□□□□
are used to imply the following ranks in addition to positions:

□□□□	□□□□□□ □□□□□ □□□□□□
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Example: Sergent: □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
Colonel: □□□□□□□□□

Exercise 5
How will John greet the following people?

1. Colonel Pratheep
2. Corporal
3. Captain
4. First Lieutenant

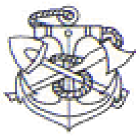
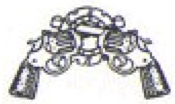
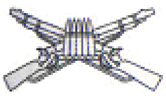
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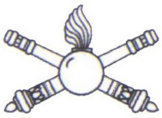
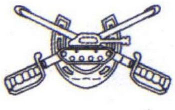
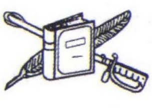
Answers:

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]

Exercise 6
Class activity. Each student introduces himself by standing up and saying his rank and name. Then other students greet him according to their ranks.

Branches of service: [illegible]

	[illegible]	Engineer Corps
	[illegible]	Military Police
	[illegible]	Intelligence Corps
	[illegible]	Infantry Corps
	[illegible]	Signal Corps
	[illegible]	Medical Corps

	[illegible]	Artillery Corps
	[illegible]	Cavalry Corps
	[illegible]	Quartermaster Corps
	[illegible]	Finance Corps
	[illegible]	Transportation Corps
	[illegible]	Veterinary Corps
	[illegible]	Ordnance Corps
	[illegible]	Band Corps
	[illegible]	Adjutant General Corps

	[illegible]	Survey Corps
	[illegible] [illegible]	General Staff Corps

Exercise 7
Each student takes turn in stating his specialty.

Example:

A: [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

B: [illegible]

Exercise 8

An interview:

A: [illegible]

B: [illegible]

A: [illegible]

B: [illegible]

A: [illegible]

B: [illegible]

A: [illegible]

B: [illegible]

1. Read the interview above. Underline all the military ranks, branch of service and specialization you found there.
2. Fill out the following table.

Rank	
Unit	
Length of service	
Branch of service	

3. Work in pairs. Based on the dialogue, ask questions and give answers about your service in the military and your plans afterwards.

Answers: Rank: Major Unit: Special Forces Length of service: 10 years Branch of service: Signal Corps

Composition of an SFODA

[illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible].
Special Forces Operational Detachment Alpha or SFODA

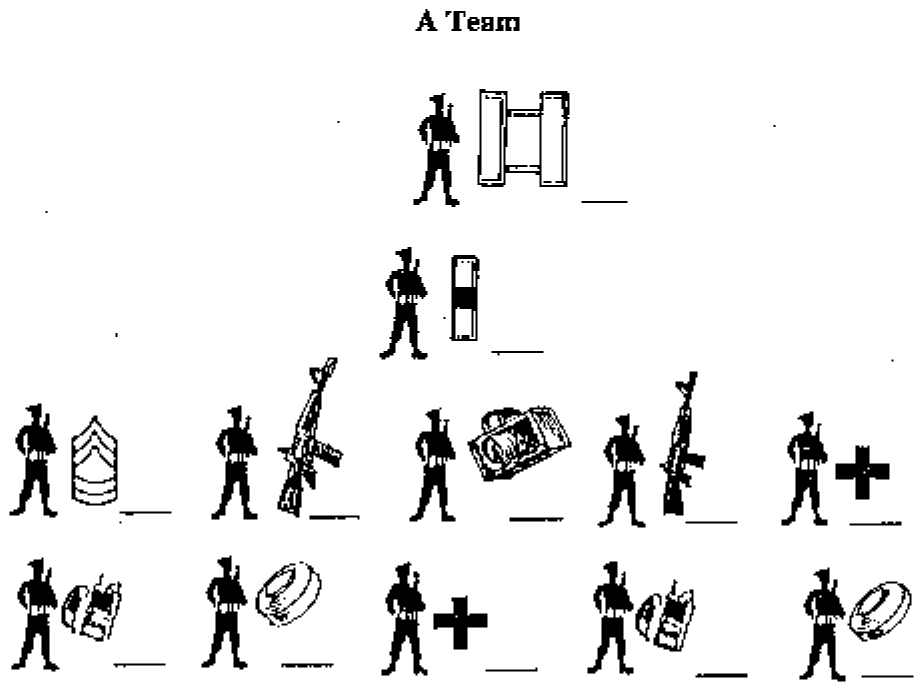
[illegible] (Position)	*[illegible]* (Rank)	[illegible] *(MOS)*
[illegible] *Detachment Commander*	[illegible] *Captain*	*18A*
[illegible] *Assistant Detachment Commander*	*[illegible]* *warrant officer*	*180A*
[illegible] *Operations Sergeant*	[illegible] *Master Sergeant*	*18Z*
[illegible]*[illegible]* *Assistant Operations and Intelligence Sergeant*	*[illegible]* *Sergeant F irst Class*	*18F*
[illegible] [illegible] *Weapons Sergeant*	*[illegible]* *Sergeant F irst Class*	*18B*
[illegible] [illegible] *Weapons Sergeant*	[illegible] *Staff Sergeant*	*18B*
[illegible]*[illegible]* [illegible] *Engineer Sergeant*	*[illegible]* *Sergeant F irst Class*	*18C*
[illegible] [illegible] *Engineer Sergeant*	*[illegible]* *Staff Sergeant*	*18C*
[illegible] [illegible] *Medical Sergeant*	*[illegible]* *Sergeant F irst Class*	*18D*

Medical Sergeant	*Staff Sergeant*	*18D*
Communications Sergeant	*Sergeant First Class*	*18E*
Communictions Sergeant	*Staff Sergeant*	*18E*

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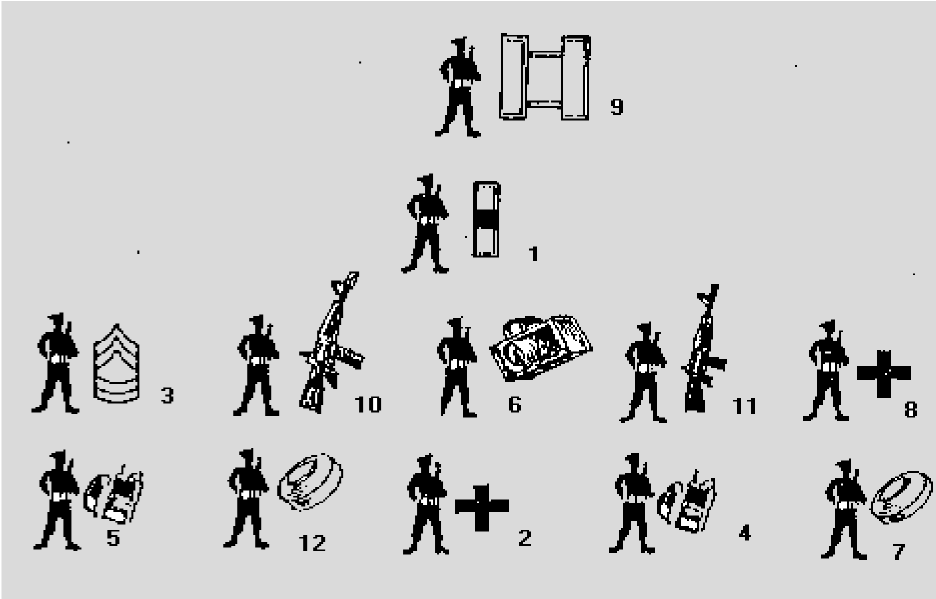
Exercise 9

Use the number corresponding to each specialist to fill in the A team chart.



1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]
7. [illegible]
8. [illegible]
9. [illegible]
10. [illegible]
11. [illegible]
12. [illegible]

Answers:



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Ranks and specialties of a SF team


squad leader


platoon leader


company commander

[illegible] ([illegible]) [illegible] ([illegible]) [illegible] [illegible] ([illegible])

John explains to Sombat the ranks and specialties of a SF team:

[illegible]

SF / lead
warrant officer
/Assisted

Trained in one of

the following fields

True or false?

1. [illegible] T / F
2. [illegible] T / F
3. [illegible] T / F

Answers: 1. F 2. F 3. T

The Special Warfare School:[illegible]

Parachute Jumping: [illegible]



During the Exercise of Thai Airborne soldier.



The balloon jumping in Special Warfare School is the part of the Airborne course training. Students attending the course are required to do the jumping at least one time.

Exercise 10
Read the passage (using a dictionary) and answer the questions.

“[illegible]”

1. Is the person mentioned in the passage male or female?

____

2. What kind of training does this person have to go through?

____

3. Are there a lot of female participants who can do the parachute jumping?

____

Answers:
1. Female.
2. She is on the Basic Training Course. The course includes walking in the forest,
   parachute jumping and dropping the supplies.
3. Only a few.

Skills

Sombat and John continue their conversation about the skills of an A team.

Sombat: [illegible]	*Specialist*
[illegible]	*Weapons*
John: [illegible]	*Anti-armor*
[illegible]	*Foreign*
[illegible]	*Other*
[illegible]	*MOS*
Sombat: [illegible]	
[illegible]	*Destroy*
John: [illegible]	*Build bridges*
[illegible]	
[illegible]	*Treats*
[illegible]	
[illegible]	
[illegible]	*Maintenance of radio*

[illegible] *equipment / gathers*
[illegible]
[illegible] *provide news*
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

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True or false?

1. [illegible] T / F
2. [illegible] T / F
3. [illegible] T / F

Answers: 1. T 2. F 3. T

Exercise 11
Captain Wirin has made a partial list of his team members and the things they have to bring. Based on this list, write the specialty of each member.

Team members	things to bring	MOS ([illegible].)
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	

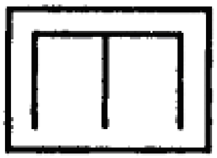
Answers:

Team members	things to bring	MOS ([illegible].)
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]

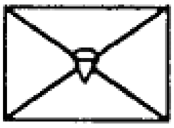
[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]

Note: [illegible]. abbreviation of [illegible] (MOS)

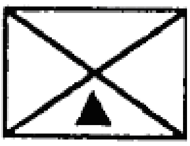
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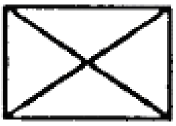
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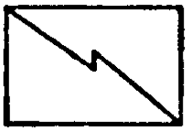
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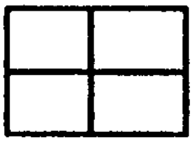
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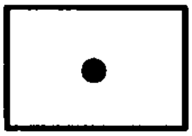
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□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□□ *medical corps*



□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□ *artillery*

Sentence patterns:

Question: □□□ □□□□ □□□□ □□□□□ □□□
you be soldier branch which

Answer: □□ □□□□ □□□□ (□□□□□) □□□□□□□
I be soldier branch Signal Corps

Question: □□□ □□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□ □□□
you station unit which

Answer: □□ □□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□ □□□□□□□
I station unit Special Forces

Question: □□□□ □□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□ □□□
soldier Signal Corps have specialty in the field of which

Answer: □□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
have specialty in the field of utilizing radio and Morse code in…

Question: □□□□ □□□□ □□□□□□□□□ □□□□ □□□□
soldier engineer have duty what particle

Answer: □□□□□□□□□ □□□□□ □□□□□ □□□ □□□□□ □□ □□□□
have duty build bridge and building in the field

Question: □□□ □□ □□□□□□□□ □□□□ □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□
he have position what in the team

Answer: □□□ □□□□ □□□□□□ □□□□□□□
he be Sergeant Operations

Question:	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	you	be	officer		or	NCO
Answer:	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	I	be	officer		rank	major
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]
	I	be	NCO	rank	SSG	

Exercise

Use your own identity to answer the following questions:

1. [illegible]

   ____

2. [illegible]

   ____

3. [illegible]

   ____

4. [illegible]

   ____

5. [illegible]

   ____

6. [illegible]

   ____

7. [illegible]

   ____

Word study:

[illegible] to be skillful, expert in, experienced in.

[illegible]

He has been working on this job for quite some time, and now he has gained a lot of experience in it.

[illegible] experience, expertise.

[illegible]

A newly opened company needs applicants who have experie nce in export.

□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□ (□□□.) Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) A group of related skills that constitute an individual soldier's job.

□□□
□□□□□□□□□□

New recruits must be trained in the field of their MOS.

[illegible]... an expert

[illegible]
The company has an expert ready to answer any questions on how to operate the machine.

[illegible] Expert (highest qualification for accurate delivery of fire with an aimed weapon; above sharpshooter)

[illegible] ([illegible].)[illegible] Military Specialist

[illegible] [illegible]
My last position before retiring was “Military Specialist”.

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[illegible]	regiment
[illegible]	Army
[illegible]	corps
[illegible]	headquarters
[illegible]	division
[illegible]	brigade
[illegible]	battalion
[illegible]	company
[illegible] (*[illegible]*)	detachment
[illegible] [illegible]	engineer troops
[illegible]	intelligence
[illegible]	terms for SSG, SFC, MSG
[illegible]	1st Sergeant
[illegible] [illegible]	Master Sergeant
[illegible]	Sergeant 1st class
[illegible]	Staff sergeant
[illegible],[illegible]	engineer
[illegible],[illegible]	maintenance
[illegible]	also
[illegible]	anti armor
[illegible]	foreign countries
[illegible]	artillery
[illegible]	infantry
[illegible] (*[illegible]*)	demolition
[illegible] (*[illegible]*)	to destroy
[illegible]	explosive underwater mine
[illegible]	officer
[illegible]([illegible])	N.C.O.
[illegible]	Warrant officer
[illegible]	General
[illegible]	Lieutenant general
[illegible]	Brigadier General
[illegible]	Major General
[illegible]	Colonel
[illegible]	Senior Colonel (Brigadier General)
[illegible]	Lieutenant colonel
[illegible]	Major
[illegible]	Captain
[illegible]	1st Lieutenant
[illegible]	2nd Lieutenant

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[illegible]	medic
[illegible]	intelligence
[illegible]	engineer
[illegible]	operations sergeant
[illegible] [illegible]	radio operator, assistant communications specialist
[illegible]	weapons specialist
[illegible]	communications specialist
[illegible]	to lead, to direct
[illegible], [illegible]	to form
[illegible]	in a little while
[illegible]	specialist
[illegible]	terms for Captain
[illegible]	terms for Colonel
[illegible]	assistant medic
[illegible]	assistant medic
[illegible]	assistant engineer
[illegible]	assistant weapons specialist
[illegible]	communications specialist
[illegible]	company commander
[illegible]	platoon leader
[illegible]	squad leader
[illegible],[illegible]	commandant
[illegible]	terms for Major, Lt. Col.
[illegible]	terms for 1st Lt., 2nd Lt.
[illegible]	to predict
[illegible] ([illegible])	Private 1st class
[illegible] ([illegible])	Private 2nd class
[illegible] [illegible]	team
[illegible]	Colonel
[illegible]	Major
[illegible]	medicine
[illegible]	operations
[illegible]	to gather
[illegible]	assistant commander
[illegible]	Captain
[illegible]	to treat
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	to know
[illegible]	explosives

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[illegible]	radio communication
[illegible]	war
[illegible]	to establish
[illegible]	to assist
[illegible]	to build
[illegible]	bridge
[illegible]	Sergeant
[illegible]	Corporal
[illegible]	Private 1st Class
[illegible]	unit
[illegible]	Airborne troops
[illegible]	Signal troops
[illegible]	airborne troops
[illegible]	platoon
[illegible]	terms for PFC, Corporal, Sergeant
[illegible]	squad
[illegible]	mountain troops
[illegible]	team commander
[illegible]	building
[illegible]	weapon



His Majesty King Bhumibol is the Highest Commander of the Royal Thai Armed Forces

Military Service and Military Education in Thailand

Thai law requires that all male citizens serve in the military, this is called □□□□□□□□□□□ – *military draft*. Young males are required to register for the draft when they become eighteen years of age. They are not liable for compulsory service until they reach twenty. Those who are physically disqualified, Buddhist monks, career teachers, cadets attending the military academies or university students will be exempted. Those who are drafted will serve their duty for 2 years. Normally, the first three months are devoted to military training conducted in □□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□– *Basic Training Units.*

Drafted servicemen who want to stay in the military after the mandatory 2 years can do so if they apply and if approved by military authorities. After a short period of additional training, they can be promoted to higher ranks and can serve till they finally retire from the military.

Military education and training for officers is conducted in the Armed Forces Academies Preparatory School. To enter, applicants must pass competitive exams, must be at least 15 years old, and secondary school graduates. After 2 years of study at the Prep School, pre-cadet graduates can choose to go to 3 different military academies: Army, Navy or Air Force. If they want to be in the police force, they can go to the Police Academy. The Army, Navy

and Air Force require 5 years to graduate while the Police Academy requires only 4 years. They are awarded the rank of second lieutenant after graduation.

Pre-cadet graduates of the Prep School who will enter the medical field attend the Military Medical Academy for another 6 years and are awarded the rank of captain after graduation. The diplomas from these institutions are recognized nationwide and are presented to civilian employers after the service member leaves the military.

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The Academies also provide post-graduate training for selected commanders and engineers in, respectively, combined arms and specialized technical fields.

Also, there are non-commissioned officer schools: □□□□□□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□-□□□□-□□□□□-□□□□□□. Candidates are secondary school graduates and must pass competitive exams as well as a physical exam. They are awarded the rank of Private First Class (□□□□□□□) after 2 years of study.

To become high level commanders or staff officers, selected officers need to go to another academy, namely the well known □□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□□□□□□□– *Command and General Staff College,* which in 2 years trains junior officers to work as □□□□ □□□□□□□□□ (□□.)– *General staffs of military districts.*

The mandatory retirement age for officers and NCOs is when they reach the age of 60. They can earn full retirement and other benefits (medical, discount on transportation fares). When soldiers served in war zones like during WW II, or in the Korean and Vietnam Wars, their time in the war zone will be doubled. This is called □□□□□□□□□□**,** which allows the soldier to acquire more time of service to add on their pension after his retirement and also allows for faster promotion.

Females can enter the Armed Forces including the Police Forces. If they meet all qualifications and graduate from a 4 year college, then they are awarded the rank of 2nd Lt. Female candidates with 2 year college degree or lower will be awarded an NCO rank. Most of the military occupations for females are in the non-combat fields of finance, medical, and administrative skills. As of the year 2000, the highest rank for a female in the military is Major General.

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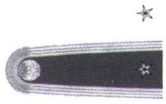
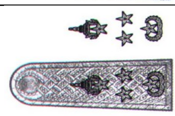
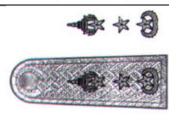
Activity 1
Here are the ranks used in the Thai Army. Put them in the proper order, starting with the lowest.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
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[illegible]

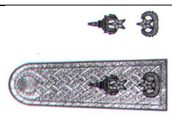
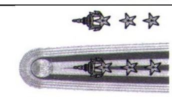
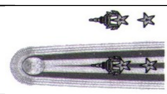
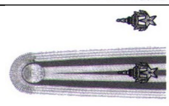
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3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
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6. [illegible]
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8. [illegible]
9. [illegible]
10. [illegible]
11. [illegible]
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15. [illegible]
16. [illegible]
17. [illegible]

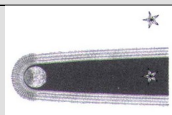
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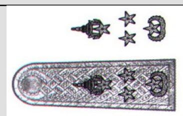
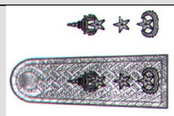
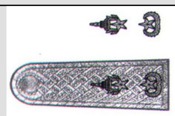
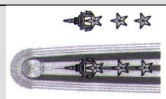
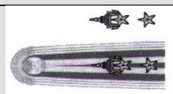
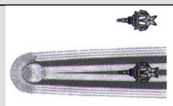
Activity 2
Match the insignia with the ranks they represent by writing the number of the rank next to its insignia.

1. □□□□□□	
2. □□□□□□	
3. □□□□□□	
4. □□□□□□□□	no insignia
5. □□□□□□□	
6. □□□□□	
7. □□□□□□	
8. □□□□□□□□□□□	
9. □□□□□□	
10. □□□□□	
11. □□□□	
12. □□□□□□□□□	

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13. [illegible]	
14. [illegible]	
15. [illegible]	
16. [illegible]	

Answers:	
1. [illegible]	9 
2. [illegible]	5 
3. [illegible]	17 
4. [illegible]	7 no insignia
5. [illegible]	2 
6. [illegible]	15 
7. [illegible]	1 
8. [illegible]	14 

9. [illegible]	12 
10. [illegible]	13 
11. [illegible]	11 
12. [illegible]	4 
13. [illegible]	10 
14. [illegible]	8 /16 
15. [illegible]	6 
16. [illegible]	3 

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Activity 3
Fill in the missing ranks.

[illegible]
   [illegible]
   [illegible]
   [illegible]
1. _________
   [illegible]
2. _________
   [illegible]

[illegible]
3. _________
   [illegible]
   [illegible]
   [illegible]
4. _________
   [illegible]
5. _________

[illegible]
   [illegible]
6. _________
   [illegible]

Answers: 1. [illegible] 2. [illegible] 3. [illegible] 4. [illegible] 5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]

Activity 4
Class activity. Your instructor will assign each student a rank by taping a card representing an insignia on your shoulder. Greet each other appropriately. Be careful! You will be promoted or demoted as you complete the task correctly or not.

Activity 5 (Pair Work)
Make up dialogues by taking the assumed identities from the list below. Greet each other, ask and answer each other’s questions about your military service, for how long you have served, where, and if you like it or not.

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]

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Activity 6
Look at the pictures and write the specialty of each soldier.


(1)


(2)

Answers: 1. [illegible] ([illegible]) 2. [illegible]

Activity 7
Match the specialties with their descriptions.

1. [illegible]	a. [illegible]
2. [illegible]	b. [illegible]
3. [illegible]	c. [illegible]
4. [illegible]	d. [illegible]

[illegible]

5. [illegible] e. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Answers: 1. b 2. e 3. d 4. c 5. a

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Activity 8

Listen to the following greetings from a soldier and say who has the higher rank.

Higher rank

1. speaker / person greeted
2. speaker / person greeted
3. speaker / person greeted
4. speaker / person greeted
5. speaker / person greeted

Instructor's reading and Answers:	Higher rank
1. [illegible]	<u>speaker</u> / person greeted
2. [illegible]	speaker / <u>person greeted</u>
3. [illegible]	<u>speaker</u> / person greeted
4. [illegible]	speaker / <u>person greeted</u>
5. [illegible]	<u>speaker</u> / person greeted

Activity 9

Choose any picture from below and make a short story (2-3 sentences) about the person/persons you see in the picture according to the model. Read it to the class and compare your stories.

Model: (3) [illegible]

(1) (2)





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(3)



(4)



Activity 10

Look at the images below and try to guess in which branches of the Armed Forces the following people serve. Make up 2-3 sentences about each image.



1. □□□□□□□□□



2. □□□□□□□□□



3. □□□□□□□□



4. □□□□□□□□



5. □□□□□□



6. □□□□□□



7. □□□□□



8. □□□□□



9. □□□□□



10. □□□□□

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Answers:

1. [illegible] ([illegible].)
2. [illegible] ([illegible].)
3. [illegible] ([illegible].)
4. [illegible] ([illegible].)
5. [illegible] [illegible] ([illegible].)
6. [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] ([illegible].)
7. [illegible]/[illegible] [illegible] ([illegible].)
8. [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] ([illegible].)
9. [illegible] [illegible]. ([illegible].)
10. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] ([illegible].)

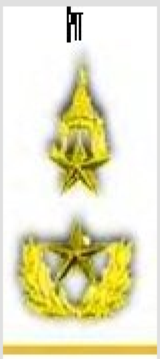
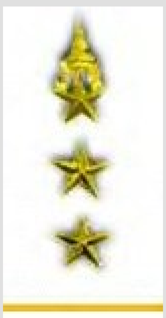
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Activity 1 (Pair Work)

Read the ranks below given in the descending order, match the labels with the pictures, then label the images and check the answer with your instructor. The pair that finished first will have its name put on the Linguistic Wiz board.

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]

					
________	________	________	________	________	________

Answers:					
					
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

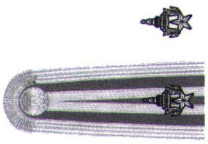
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Activity 2
Read each sentence and match the appropriate rank insignia with the troop symbol.

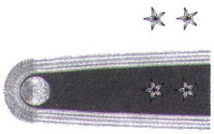
I. 

II. 

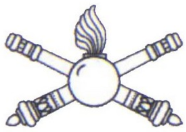
III. 

IV. 

V. 

VI. 

VII. 

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

E. 

F. 

G. 

1. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
2. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
3. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
4. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
5. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
6. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
7. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Answers:

1) VI – C 2) V- E 3) II – F 4) III – A 5) VII – B 6) I – G
7) IV – D

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Activity 3
Class activity. Your instructor will give each student a card that lists a specialty. The captains will have to form their A teams by asking other students their specialty.

Activity 4
Read the following advertisement placed by the Special Warfare School and answer the questions below.

[illegible]
[illegible]
- [illegible]

1. What course is offered?

____

2. How long is the course?

____

3. How many commissioned officers will be accepted?

____

4. Can a major apply?

____

Answers: 1. It’s the Special Warfare Course. 2. Twelve weeks. 3. Ten. 4. No.

Activity 5

State the Branch of Service for each of the following job specialties:

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible] / [illegible]

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4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
6. [illegible]
7. [illegible]

Answers:
1. [illegible] Infantry Corps
2. [illegible] Artillery Corps
3. [illegible] Corps of Engineer
4. [illegible] Signal Corps
5. [illegible] Transportation Corps
6. [illegible] Ordnance Corps
7. [illegible] Medical Corps

Activity 6

Read the passage and answer the questions:

[illegible]

1. How long is the course?

____

2. How many students will be accepted?

____

3. Is this ad for officers or enlisted soldiers?

____

Answers:
1. About 2 months.
2. 60 students.

3. Enlisted soldiers.

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Activity 7

Commander in Chief of the Thai Army has recently stated the readiness of the Army as follows:

[illegible]

What Branches of service are prioritized for improvement?

Answer: The Transportation Corps and the Signal Corps.

Activity 8

[illegible]

1. The Army Training Command is hiring:
   a. a clerk
   b. a secretary
   c. a training soldier

2. The rank of the position is:
   a. Sergeant
   b. Staff Sergeant
   c. Sergeant First Class_

3. The applications are accepted from civilian <u>or</u>
   a. All Reserve members
   b. Active Duty

c. Combat Units

Answers: 1. a	2. a	3. a

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Activity1
Listen to the list of people by their name and rank. While listening, match up the blanks with the correct military rank of the person.

(1) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(2) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(3) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(4) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(5) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(6) __________ [illegible] [illegible]

(7) __________ Dennis Ray

(8) __________ Jason Terry

(9) __________ Thomas Miller

(10) __________ Bud Walker

Audio Script and Answers:
(1) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] (2) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] (3) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
(4) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] (5) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] (6) [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
(7) [illegible] Dennis Ray (8) [illegible] Jason Terry (9) [illegible] Thomas Miller (10) [illegible] Bud Walker

Activity 2
Write down the list of Thai military ranks from the lowest position to the highest position.

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Answers:
[illegible]
[illegible], [illegible], [illegible]
[illegible], [illegible], [illegible]
[illegible], [illegible], [illegible]
[illegible], [illegible], [illegible]
[illegible]([illegible])
[illegible], [illegible], [illegible]

Activity 3
If A is higher in rank than B, how would A address B and how would B address A?

	A	B
1	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	[illegible]([illegible])	[illegible]

Answers:		
	A addresses B as	B addresses A as
1	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	[illegible]	[illegible]

Activity 4
Pair up and practice this dialogue in Thai.

A. Ask whether B is a platoon leader.
B. Respond negatively.
A. Ask whether B is a squad leader.
B. Respond negatively. Say that you are a team leader and that you are a captain.
A. Ask how many men are in the team.
B. Say that the team has twelve men.
A. Ask what the soldiers do.

B. Say that one soldier is the assistant team commander. Say that he is a CWO. Say that the team also has one operations sergeant, two weapons specialists, two medics, two communications specialists, two demolition specialists, and say that one soldier is an intelligence specialist.

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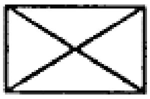
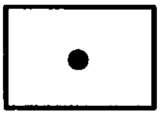
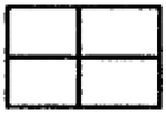
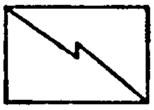
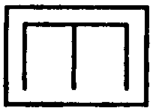
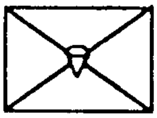
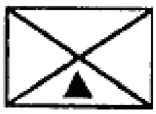
A. Ask whether the team has a master sergeant.
B. Say yes.
A. Ask how many sergeants first class the team has.
B. Say six.
A. Ask how many staff sergeants the team has.
B. Say the team has three staff sergeants.
A. Ask where the team is now stationed.
B. Say in Okinawa.

Answers:
A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]
A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]
A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]
A. [illegible]
B. [illegible]
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B. [illegible]

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Activity 5

Enter the letter that links the branch of service to its corresponding symbol on the left.

1. 	a. [illegible]
2. 	b. [illegible]
3. 	c. [illegible]
4. 	d. [illegible]
5. 	e. [illegible]
6. 	f. [illegible]
7. 	g. [illegible]

Answers: 1. e 2. a 3. g 4. f 5. b 6. c 7. d

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Activity 6
Listen to several soldiers introducing themselves. Fill in the missing information.

Name	**Grade**	**Branch**	**Garnison**
[illegible]		[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		*[illegible]*
[illegible]		*[illegible]*	
[illegible]	[illegible]		*[illegible]*
[illegible]			[illegible]

Audio Script:
1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible]
5. [illegible]

Answers:

Name	**Grade**	**Branch**	**Garnison**
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	*[illegible]*
[illegible]	[illegible]	*[illegible]*	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	*[illegible]*	*[illegible]*
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Activity 7
Write a short bio where you detail your rank, specialty, and give some explanation about the skills you’ve acquired for that specialty.

Activity 8

You just arrived in Chantaburi for a joint exercise. Be ready to introduce yourself at the first meeting with the Thai army. Mention your name, rank, and function or position within your A team.